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**SITE VISIT:**  
Eltham MP Clive  
Efford, Cllr David  
Gardner and Cllr  
Denise Hyland at  
the new hospital



## New Eltham hospital to open

by Dick Townsend-Smith

**ELTHAM'S new community hospital is nearing completion, with the first services set to open early in the new year.**

The hospital, in Passey Place off the High Street, will provide GP practices for Eltham residents, as well as high-quality, integrated clinical and community services for people across the borough.

The 4,200sq metre development will eventually be home to two GP practices

– Eltham Palace Surgery and the Eltham Medical Practice. Between them, they will serve the needs of almost 16,000 patients.

The hospital's diagnostic suites will give GPs and health professionals access to equipment including ECG, non-obstetric ultrasound, echocardiogram and X-Ray. There will be 40 care beds, out-patient consulting rooms that will be able to treat around 32,000 people a year, as well as a minor surgery suite to carry out up to 1,500 minor operations a year. A range of community services

will also be relocated to the hospital, including mental health, community nursing, physiotherapy and paediatric departments.

A group of community and health leaders visited the site on Thursday (November 13) to find out how work was progressing. They included Cllr Denise Hyland, leader of the royal borough, and Cllr David Gardner, the council's cabinet member for health and adult social care, Clive Efford MP and Judy Smith MBE from the South Greenwich Forum.

Dr Ellen Wright, Clinical Chair of NHS

Greenwich Clinical Commissioning Group said: "Eltham residents should have every reason to be excited about the opening of a new, purpose-built NHS hospital that will bring together GPs, nurses and social care under one roof. The development of the Eltham Community Hospital is thanks to the vision and tireless work of a small army of residents, NHS workers, hospital-builders and Eltham community champions who have taken the idea from

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# LETTERS

## Check out unfinished hotel

AS a Woolwich resident who regularly reads the latest messaging in GT about how many hotel rooms the borough has, it surprises me each time I go past the unfinished and long-abandoned hotel adjacent to the Royal Arsenal development. Why was this project given planning permission if the developers did not have the funds to complete it, and why when the council is so keen to trumpet additional hotel rooms springing up all over the borough is this half-finished hotel allowed to continue as a big blue eyesore? I wrote in about this a year ago, however the hotel is still in the same state as it was back then.

**Rob Smithson, Woolwich**  
● A spokesperson for Berkeley Homes (East Thames) said: "This hotel site was one of several owned and being built by an independent developer. Due to unforeseen circumstances, and before

completion of the hotel, the developer went into receivership. Berkeley Homes has been involved in ongoing discussions to resolve the situation and has undertaken legal action to ensure residents and the local community see a positive conclusion in the near future."  
● A Greenwich Council spokesperson added: "Encouraging the development of new hotels is an important part of the council's strategy to increase the royal borough's growing reputation as a tourist destination, both nationally and internationally. This is why the council is backing a five-year plan launched by Visit Greenwich aiming to establish Greenwich as a destination where visitors stay longer to enjoy the royal borough's world-famous attractions. The planning application process does not require an assessment of available funding – although it was noted that the applicant clearly did have the funds at the start of the project"

Write to: GT Letters, Communications Team, Woolwich Centre, Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ or email [greenwichtime@outlook.com](mailto:greenwichtime@outlook.com) with your full address (not for publication). We reserve the right to edit any letters received.

## Find new retailer for M&S site soon

IT is a shame to come to Woolwich Town Centre and to see the Marks & Spencer's store closed after many years. M&S plans to open a new larger store in Charlton next year but we hope a new retailer can be found for the old store in the very near future on this prime site in Powis Street. It will bring a bright fresh new store to the heart of Woolwich as the regeneration of the area continues at great pace. **Graham Justine, Blackheath**

● A spokesperson for Greenwich Council said: "It is disappointing that

the Woolwich M&S store closed and we are working to bring them back in the future. However the building is owned by Powis Street Estates who are responsible for deciding the next tenant. In the meantime, new developments are attracting more visitors and encouraging residents to shop locally. We hope this will persuade more retail brands to locate here. The council also works with local landowners, who are continuing to market Woolwich to attract retail operators."

## Pic Spot... send yours to [greenwichtime@outlook.com](mailto:greenwichtime@outlook.com)



**PRUTHVI KUMAR:** 'I am from India and currently a student at the University of Greenwich. I'm enjoying taking lots of photos of the Greenwich campus and surroundings.'

## ROYAL BOROUGH MEETINGS

THE following meetings take place at the Town Hall, Wellington Street, unless stated otherwise.

**November 18** - Children & Young people scrutiny panel, 7pm, room 6.

**November 20** - Highways Committee, 7pm rooms 4 & 5.

**November 25** - Overview & Scrutiny call-in sub committee, 5.30pm, committee room 6  
Woolwich & Thamesmead area

planning committee, 6.30pm, committee rooms 4&5  
Finance and public services scrutiny panel, 7pm, committee room 6

**November 27** - Sustainable Communities and Transport Scrutiny Panel, 7pm, committee room 6

**December 1** - Health and Wellbeing Board, 2pm, committee rooms 4&5

**December 3** - Licensing sub committee A, 5pm, committee

room 6  
Woolwich Riverside Local Housing Panel

**December 4** - Children's Trust Board, 9.30am, committee room 6

**December 8** - Avery Hill & Coldharbour Local Housing Panel

**December 9** - Healthier Communities & Older People's Scrutiny Panel, 6.30pm, committee room 4

More information on 020 8921 5130 or at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/meetings)

All meeting dates and times are subject to change.

We would advise you to check before you travel.

## Receive email alerts on council news and events

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**SETTING A GOOD EXAMPLE:** Plumcroft Primary School children help Cllr Jackie Smith clean up their school, above, while Cllr John Fahy praised children, right



## New hospital set to open

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drawing board to reality."

Johanna Gilby from Eltham Palace Surgery said: "We are looking forward to moving in and welcoming patients. The coordinated care services that will be available at the hospital will greatly benefit the residents of Eltham and local people living in the borough."

Clive Efford MP welcomed the developments saying: Clive Efford MP welcomed the developments saying: "It will provide excellent health services in a first class facility. Local people have been waiting patiently for this community hospital to open and I am sure they will be impressed with it. It's been great to meet the many people involved in bringing

this fantastic facility to fruition." The community hospital is being developed through a public private partnership with a consortium of four companies. They have worked closely with the NHS Greenwich Clinical Commissioning Group and the council to ensure feedback from residents is incorporated to create a good facility for local people.

**● NHS Greenwich's Clinical Commissioning Group has launched a competition to name the two wards in the new hospital that reflect the local community or show a connection with Eltham's past or future. Email your suggestions to GRECCG. NHSGreenwichCCG@nhs.net by 5pm on November 28.**



## Eco Champions

LITTER picking pupils from Plumcroft Primary School were given tips on keeping their local environment clean last week when royal borough of Greenwich wardens dropped by to talk tidiness.

Pupils at the Plumstead based school were also visited by cabinet member for community safety & environment Cllr Jackie Smith and cabinet member for children's services Cllr John Fahy who congratulated them on becoming Junior Environment Champions.

The Junior Environment Champions scheme encourages children to understand the importance of looking after their local environment by demonstrating how they can make a difference. Pupils were able to hear first-hand about litter and the impact it has on the environment from the visiting wardens and were able to ask plenty of

questions about what they could do to help.

Pupils were able to see the equipment the used by the wardens on the street and even did some role-play involving litter being dropped and fines being given. The councillors also handed out certificates to the pupils for their hard work in becoming Junior Environment Champions.

Cllr Jackie Smith cabinet member for community safety & environment said: "I was delighted to visit Plumcroft School and see pupils there learning about the message of keeping the local environment clean and litter-free. Litter is a problem that is easily understood by all ages. By teaching children how they can play a big part in the wider community, we can help them learn about how their actions can help the local environment."

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**Closing dates:**  
**Friday 28th November**

**Interview dates:**  
**Week commencing**  
**Monday 1st December**


**NOTICE OF APPLICATION  
FOR A PREMISES LICENCE  
LICENSING ACT 2003**

Notice is given that **MR HASAN OZDEMIR** has applied for the **GRANT** of a Premises Licence for the following premises:

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A record of the application may be inspected by appointment.

Interested parties may make representations to the Royal Borough of Greenwich on this application by no later than **4TH DECEMBER 2014**. Representations can be made in writing, by email or fax to The Licensing Team, Community Safety & Environment, 4th Floor, Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, London SE18 6HQ. Tel: 020 8921 8018, Fax: 020 8921 8380, Email: [licensing@royalgreenwichgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:licensing@royalgreenwichgreenwich.gov.uk). Representations can only be made on the grounds of one of the four licensing objectives, namely:

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## Carers' Rights Day

CARERS are invited to an event for National Carers' Rights Day on November 28 at Charlton House from 2pm to 4.30pm.

The event is open to all those providing support and care to someone who has a long term illness, disability, age related frailty, mental health problem or drug/alcohol problems.

It's being hosted by the NHS Greenwich CCG and the royal borough and will provide a wide range of support for local carers. The theme for this year's Carer's Rights Day is 'Looking after someone? Know your rights'.

There will be advice on hand, carer health checks, and complementary therapies on offer.

● **For a complete list of training events and further info about carer provision, please visit [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/carers](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/carers)**

## Bogus police call scam alert

ROYAL Greenwich Trading Standards are warning people about scam telephone calls made to borough residents by people pretending to be the police.

The rogue callers say they are investigating a fraud on the person's bank account and claim a large sum had been withdrawn from it. They then tell the resident to give them all their bank details. The rogue callers also claim the resident's bank is part of the fraud and asks the resident to take their money out from it.

Trading Standards says that in this type of scam the rogue caller does not hang up, which means the line remains open, even if the resident hangs up. So any call to check the callers' identity will connect back to the same person.

The advice is: If you have any concerns about this scam, or you get a phone call from someone saying they are from the police, you

should telephone the police on 101. Make sure you wait at least 5 to 10 minutes before telephoning 101 and have a dialling tone in case the rogue caller is still on the line. Alternatively, telephone 101 from a mobile phone or from a neighbour's phone.

Trading Standards says your bank and the police would:

● **Never ask for your bank account details or PIN number over the phone, so do not disclose these to anyone, no matter who they claim to be.**

● **Never ask you to withdraw money and send it to them via a courier, taxi or by any other means.**

● **Never ask you to send your bank cards, or large amounts of cash to them by courier, taxi or by any other means.**

● **For more information go to [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/tradingstandards](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/tradingstandards)**

## Mains leak closes road again

COURT Road in Eltham was closed to traffic for two days last week because of a leaking water main. Thames Water had finished repairing an earlier fault in the main on Wednesday, and were planning to open up the road again to traffic later in the day. But a second fault in the same main was discovered nearby, before the road eventually reopened on Thursday. Locals who are concerned about disruption caused by regular problems with the main are being supported by the council. It is pressing Thames Water to deal with faults as quickly and safely as possible, so that residents and other road users do not have to suffer ongoing emergency repair work over winter.

### Lighten the dark cycle home

TIPS on cycling home in the dark, now the clocks have changed, can be found on the London Cyclist website - including having a back-up set of lights. Also suggested in the eight tips is wearing bright colours, adjusting your route if it is better lit and avoiding routes which can become flooded or are strewn with debris which you could not see.

● **For details visit [www.londoncyclist.co.uk/6-tips-riding-dark](http://www.londoncyclist.co.uk/6-tips-riding-dark)**

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## Views sought in new skate park consultation

SKATEBOARDERS of all ages are urged to comment on plans for a new skate park in Charlton Park.

Three areas are being considered for the wheel sports facility, which the royal borough agreed to pursue in July. It will be available for skateboarders, roller skaters, BMX bikers, roller bladers, scooters and wheelchair users. An online consultation - which ends at noon on December 1 - seeks views on three possible locations within the park:

● Site A - in the north west corner of the athletics area,

close to the Pavilion and entrance by Mulberry Close.

● Site B - in the green area north of the children's play area

● Site C - in the south east corner of the park at the corner of Cemetery Lane and Charlton Park Lane

After a location has been decided, another survey will take place about the design of the park.

Skate parks are proving popular and one in Hornchurch, Essex, built in the 1970s, has recently been listed by English Heritage.

The skatepark in Charlton Park would replace one in Royal

Arsenal Gardens, which is due to close next year. Berkeley Homes is contributing to the cost of the new one having taken over the site of the old one.

It's hoped the online survey will help to gauge support from potential users, gather contact details to form a core users group and address any concerns the public might have.

The council wants to hear from local skaters but also from school children, students, people with disabilities and local residents.

A full description of each location's advantages is

explained during the online survey, on which there are spaces to add comments along the way.

Cllr Jackie Smith, the council's cabinet member for community safety and environment, said: "I would urge residents and park users to view the consultation, to feed back their comments, and if they wish, to register an interest in being involved as the plans are developed further."

● Full details can be found at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/consultations](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/consultations) or ring 020 89215618

# Weather all storms

## Council all ready to tackle winter's icy blast

by Dick Townsend-Smith

AS temperatures start to fall, council staff are getting prepared to deal with anything that winter can throw at us - whether it's frost, snow, ice, high winds or storms.

A fleet of six road gritters is on stand-by, with 2,000 tons of grit in stock, ready help clear icy and snow-bound roads.

The vehicles are fitted with tracking systems and hi-tech kit for adjusting the spread of salt and grit depending on the road conditions. The council's gritter crews can also pre-salt roads with rock salt to prevent ice from forming. This will also be used to melt ice and snow once it has fallen.

Roads and walkways in the borough are gritted according to a priority list. Main roads, bus routes, 999 service depots, hospitals, schools, major junctions and transport hubs take priority.

Council staff will also grit or clear slopes and stairways in communal areas on council estates where possible.

If the winter is comparatively mild, severe rain might be a problem. A full-scale rehearsal was held in Woolwich last month

(October) when the fire brigade, the police, the council's emergency planners, the Environment Agency and Transport for London got together to test their emergency plans for dealing with flooding.

It was a 'dry run' simulation of what the different agencies would need to do, working in partnership, to tackle a flooding scenario. The fire brigade, for example, might be needed to rescue people by boat and pump away flood water, while the council would rehouse people and support families affected.

People are also being encouraged to use common sense to clearing snow and ice from paths and pavements outside their front doors and those of their neighbours.

Cllr Danny Thorpe, the council's cabinet member for regeneration and transport, said: "We are well prepared for the possibility of extreme winter weather, and we would like residents to be proactive in getting ready for the cold spells. Please don't be put off clearing paths because of any legal implications. Use your common sense, and your actions will help keep our neighbourhoods safer and more accessible."

"We need our residents to work with us to prepare for cold weather and keep the borough moving. Doing small things like brushing away snow near your home and



TRUE GRIT: council staff treat footpaths after heavy snows last winter

looking out for elderly neighbours can make a big difference."

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- Coldenwood Street SE18 (Part) between Powis Street and Thomas Street
- Powis Street SE18 (Part) (North footway outside No.5, Nr BUR)
- Duke Humphrey Road SE3 (Part) (NW Charlton Way (Opposite Park Gates)
- Griffin Manor Way SE28 (Part) (a/s industrial estate)
- Nathan Way SE28 (Part) (a/s industrial estate)
- Straightdown Street SE10 (Part) (NW Greenwich High Road/Rain Street
- Harvey Gardens (Part) (opposite Charlton football ground, licenses limited to Charlton AFC home match days only)
- Harcourt Road Nr (NW Harvey Gardens SE7 (licenses limited to Charlton AFC home match days only)
- Harvey Gardens (NW Deer Park Road SE7 (licenses limited to Charlton AFC home match days only)
- Valley Grove (NW Deer Park Road SE7 (licenses limited to Charlton AFC home match days only)
- Plessey Place SE9 (Part) (NW Eltham High Street
- Greenwich High Road (NW Royal Hill (Christmas trees only)
- Tyler Street, SE10, Nr (NW Trafalgar Road SE10)
- Colombe Street, SE10 Nr (NW Trafalgar Road SE10)
- Earlswood Street, SE10 Nr (NW Trafalgar Road SE10)

Any person who wishes to make representations relating to these proposals including the locations and the commodities may do so in writing to the address given below or by email to [street-trading@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:street-trading@royalgreenwich.gov.uk). Representations received within 28 days of the date of the publication of this notice will be taken into consideration by the Royal Borough prior to the adoption of a formal resolution on the proposals to designate the streets or parts of streets listed above, in accordance with Section 24 of the Act.

Street Trading  
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# Eltham Lights Up

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# Small but big on service



NEW LOOK: Pia Bang hairdressers, stylist and technical team prepare for Small Business Saturday

**TRADERS** are invited to join a national campaign to encourage residents to shop local in the run up to Christmas.

It all starts on December 6 - Small Business Saturday when independent shops and businesses across the country promote the benefits of buying Christmas provisions locally.

The first Saturday of December is traditionally seen as the start of the festive shopping season and during the day shops and businesses will be offering deals and discounts and showing their support for the campaign by displaying Small Business Saturday posters and stickers.

They are being supported by the royal borough which is helping businesses to plan their offers and events to attract shoppers and encourage them to return. Royal borough business advisers are also helping traders to promote their offers through leaflets and social media, and directing them to Small Business Saturday website where they can download further resources and information.

The initiative is a grassroots campaign from the US which generates billions of dollars for business during the festive season. In the UK it's backed by the Federation of Small Business.

Alan Corrigan of Pia Bang Hair and Beauty in Eltham, said: "We're looking forward to Small Business Saturday. Eltham is a vibrant place to run a small business. The salon opened in 1977 and there has been many changes on the high street throughout our time here but we still have major stores, many fashion outlets, parking is excellent and the high street has a very friendly atmosphere."

Cllr Sizwe James, the royal borough's cabinet member for business, employment and skills, said: "Small Business Saturday is all about encouraging shoppers to visit local shops they might not usually use. This is an ideal time to showcase what they have to offer and I urge traders to get in touch to see how we can support them."

● **Businesses can visit the council's business page at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/business](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/business) or [www.smallbusinesssaturdayuk.com](http://www.smallbusinesssaturdayuk.com)**

## Award for council's business support

THE council has won a prestigious award for the way its Business Support Team helped local businesses get maximum benefits from this year's Tall Ships Festival. The team encouraged shops, restaurants, pubs and cafes to offer valuable discounts to visitors during the festival, and helped them attract customers by supplying flags and bunting to decorate their premises. They also encouraged

staff to dress in nautical costumes to add to the atmosphere.

The award came from the Federation of Small Business, in its 'Best Place-placed Campaign to Support Local Trade' category. Pictured are business advisers Mervyn Fernandez and Kingsley Otubushin with Cllr Sizwe James (centre) the cabinet member for business, employment and skills, and the winners' certificate.



## Traders back 'shop local' festive campaign

**BIG DEALS:** watch out for the SBS posters and stickers which will highlight retailers running offers for the day



## Have your say

on the proposal for a new tunnel under the Thames at Silvertown

We'd like your opinion on a new tunnel at Silvertown, which is part of a package of proposed river crossings. The new tunnel will:

- Provide a new road crossing across the Thames
- Reduce queuing at the Blackwall Tunnel
- Support the creation of new jobs and homes
- Create the opportunity for new public transport connections

We'd also like your views on a proposed range of charging options for the Blackwall and Silvertown Tunnels. Charging would be implemented from the early 2020s once the Silvertown Tunnel construction is complete to help manage demand and fund the new tunnel.

To find out more please visit [tfl.gov.uk/silvertown-tunnel](http://tfl.gov.uk/silvertown-tunnel) or call 0343 222 1234\*

**The consultation ends 19 December 2014**

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7.5 hours per week (Term time only)  
Salary: Level 5 + LW

We require, as soon as possible, a Senior Mid-day Meals Supervisor to lead, guide and direct our dedicated team who are responsible for the health and safety, welfare and good conduct of pupils during the midday break.

#### Main duties:

- Supervising our team of Midday Meals Supervisors
- Supervising children throughout the lunchtime period
- Supervising and organising the orderly collecting, eating and clearing of meals
- Encouraging good manners and behaviour
- Encouraging and leading a range of games and activities for the children to enjoy
- Administering First Aid as required.

### Mid-day Meals Supervisor

11.45 am – 1.15 pm each day  
7.5 hours per week (Term time only)  
Salary: Level 2 + LW

We require, as soon as possible, a mid-day meals supervisor to join our team of supervisors who are responsible for the safety, welfare and good conduct of pupils during the midday break.

For further details and an application pack for either vacancy please contact our office on 020 8854 3924 or Email [shand@stmargaretce.greenwich.sch.uk](mailto:shand@stmargaretce.greenwich.sch.uk)

Visits welcome by appointment

Closing date for applications is 12 noon on Wednesday 3rd December  
Interviews will take place week commencing of 8th December

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Any offer of employment for this post will be subject to a satisfactory Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check.



## MERIDIAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

TEL : 020 8858 3572

[www.meridian.greenwich.sch.uk](http://www.meridian.greenwich.sch.uk)

### Learning Mentor

Salary: SO1 pt 29-31 £26,664 - £28,311 pro rata  
Employer: Meridian Primary School

Location: Greenwich

Contract Type: Full Time

Contract Term: Permanent

Closing Date: Monday 1st December 12 noon

35 hours per week, term time only (+ 5 days to be arranged)

We are looking for a full-time Learning Mentor to join our dedicated and friendly team as soon as possible, but no later than January 2015.

This is a great opportunity to be a key part of our vibrant community school which sits in the heart of Greenwich. With a designated special provision for deaf children, we offer a creative and inclusive environment which values individuality and celebrates differences.

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#### You will be:

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- energetic, able to use your own initiative and willing to go the extra mile;
- a good listener with strong interpersonal skills and a sense of humour.

To arrange a visit please telephone Sharon Crawford (SAO): 020 8858 3572

To download an application pack, please visit our school website:

[www.meridian.greenwich.sch.uk](http://www.meridian.greenwich.sch.uk) (Previous applicants may apply)

Closing date and shortlisting: Monday 1st December 12 midday

Meridian is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. Any offer to the successful candidate will be conditional upon an Enhanced Disclosure being obtained via the Disclosure and Barring Service.



## GALLIONS MOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL

PURRETT ROAD, LONDON SE18 1JR

TEL : 020 8858 3572

### Early Years Practitioner

Hours: 35 hours per week

Salary: Dependent on qualifications and experience

Contract: Permanent, term time only [39 weeks]

Start Date: January 2015

Closing date: 3rd December 2014 3pm

Interviews: 12th December 2014

Ofsted 2013: The Early Years "environment is excellent" and "provides plenty of opportunities for good progress in all areas of development." "Staff care deeply for each and every child."

**APT&C Scale 3-5 £17,658 - £20,097 (starting salary dependent on qualifications/experience) pro rata 35 hours per week, term time only [39 weeks]**  
**(Actual salary £13,243 - £15,072)**

Gallions Mount is a friendly multi-cultural school. We are seeking to recruit an enthusiastic and experienced EYFS Practitioner to support learning in the Foundation Stage, initially Nursery, from January. The successful candidate must be qualified to NVQ Level 3 or equivalent/higher. A willingness to participate in training and a commitment to teamwork is essential.

Our school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. The successful candidate will be CRB checked and references taken before appointment. The position is subject to a 6 month probationary period.

Visits to the school are encouraged.

To arrange a visit or receive an application pack please email  
SAO Mandy Gillard [sao@gallionsmount.greenwich.sch.uk](mailto:sao@gallionsmount.greenwich.sch.uk), or, call in to the school.

Application packs are also available on our website:  
[www.gallions.net/forms](http://www.gallions.net/forms)



## WILLOW DENE SCHOOL

SWINGATE LANE, PLUMSTEAD, LONDON SE18 2JD

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You will be required to support children over the lunch and play time periods. You will be actively involved in helping children to eat, in aspects of personal care and in developing play and social skills.

Induction programmes and training will be provided for the successful candidate.

Willow Dene is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all pupils attending the school. As the duties of this post involve regular contact with children, any offer to the successful candidate will be conditional upon an Enhanced Disclosure being obtained via Disclosure and Barring Service.

Further information and application packs are available from the school website:  
[www.willowdene.greenwich.sch.uk](http://www.willowdene.greenwich.sch.uk)

Closing date for application forms is :

**Tuesday 2nd December 2014 at 12.00pm**

**Shortlisting : Thursday 4th December 2014**

**Interviews: Tuesday 9th December 2014**





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## Parents Courses - 'Supporting Parents'

For parents of children who live with a long term health condition or disability. It is a place to share experiences, ways of managing and how to care for the carer. The course looks at the impact of childhood illness or disability on the whole family and explores ways of finding meaning in the experience.

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### Course Information

Courses run over 6 weeks (apart from the New Beginnings course which runs over 7 weeks) with one 2 1/2 hour session each week.

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Courses run across Greenwich borough all year round in a variety of locations with disabled access.

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Call 020 8921 5528

Email [vitta.curtis@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:vitta.curtis@royalgreenwich.gov.uk)

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## Sign up to learn more about fostering

We hold regular information events for people who are interested in finding out more about fostering.

At the events you will meet foster carers and social workers who are involved in fostering for the Royal Borough of Greenwich.

### Venue:

The Woolwich Centre,  
Wellington Street,  
Woolwich SE18 6HQ

### Date and time:

Saturday 13 December 2014  
10am for a 10.15 start - 12 noon

### Booking a place:

Sign up to come to a fostering event by filling in our online form on website shown at bottom of this page or contacting us by telephone.

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## Come and join us celebrate the Christmas Event at Kidbrooke Village

Tuesday 25th November 7pm till 9pm

The event will be held at Kidbrooke Village Centre Elford Close, Kidbrooke, SE3 9FA



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# Upgrade and down-size

## Council hosts housing options event for over 55s

by Simon Banks

**OVER 55s interested in down-sizing and moving into a smaller home are getting help to move from the royal borough.**

They include 70-year-old Felicia Bawala who moved into her new property in Kidbrooke Village, over a year ago.

Felicia has been living in the royal borough for over 40 years where she worked in healthcare. She lived in a flat in Woolwich for more than 10 years before deciding to take advantage of a royal borough rehousing programme.

She said: "I love my new flat; it's like living in a nice hotel. I have settled in really well now and been here for over a year now. I'm really comfortable here and enjoying having so much more space and so much more to do, it is also a very family friendly space for when my grandchildren come to visit me."

Felicia was supported in making the move by the council which is working with housing partners to develop a wider range of housing options

for older people.

Felicia, told GT: "The council were fantastic, they dealt with everything and I'm grateful. My favourite feature of the property is the outdoor balcony that I can use to host a family BBQ in the summer."

Felicia, who has two grown up children and six grandchildren aged four to 22, has a regular stream of visitors and a useful large living room where she proudly displays photos of her family.

The one-bedroom flat also has a purpose-built bathroom with facilities that make it easy for residents who are less mobile.

"I have already made a lot of new friends living here and there is so much to do with a restaurant, bar, bingo and community area nearby. There are also bus stops nearby and the train station is just up the road. I also feel really safe living here with 24 hour security and CCTV, it makes me feel comfortable, especially when I have my grandchildren staying over," added Felicia.

New affordable homes for people aged over 55 are being developed across the royal borough.



**HOME SWEET HOME:** Resident Felicia Bawala, above, sits back and enjoys a cup of tea in her new flat in Kidbrooke

A special event which is open for all over-55s, not just those who are council tenants, who are interested in down-sizing or other housing options takes place on Thursday November 27 at the Public Hall in Woolwich Town Hall,

Wellington Street from 10am until 2pm.

● **For more information contact the council's Access and Allocations Team on 020 8921 2941 or email [housing-allocations@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:housing-allocations@royalgreenwich.gov.uk)**

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE LICENSING ACT 2003

Notice is given that ANNA WISNIEWSKA has applied for the GRANT of a Premises Licence for the following premises:

58- 60 WELL HALL ROAD  
ELTHAM  
SE9 6SH

A record of the application may be inspected by appointment.

Interested parties may make representations to the Royal Borough of Greenwich on this application by no later than 09 December 2014. Representations can be made in writing, by email or fax to The Licensing Team, 4th Floor, Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, London SE18 6HQ. Tel: 020 8921 8018, Fax: 020 8921 8380, Email: [licensing@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:licensing@royalgreenwich.gov.uk). Representations can only be made on the grounds of one of the four licensing objectives, namely:

- Protection of children from harm
- Public nuisance
- Prevention of crime and disorder
- Public safety

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# We salute you



**TOWN HALL TRIBUTE:** Mayor Mick Hayes places a poppy wreath at the town hall memorial

**L**AST Tuesday's nationwide two-minute silence to remember the First World War's armistice also marked the 100th anniversary of the start of the war, and 70 years since the D-Day landings, the turning point of the Second World War.

In the borough, factory, shop and office staff, schoolchildren and students stood together in silence in tribute to those who died. They included council staff, who paid their respects in Woolwich Town Hall, along with the Mayor, Cllr Mick Hayes, and the leader of the council, Cllr Denise Hyland.

The tributes followed a weekend of memorial services around the borough. Civic and religious leaders joined families and people of all ages on Saturday for wreath-laying ceremonies organised by the Blackheath and Charlton branch of the Royal British Legion on Maze Hill, St John's Church and the war memorial in Cemetery Lane. In Plumstead, the Abbey Wood and Thamesmead Royal British Legion branch organised ceremonies at Plumstead Cemetery and the Memorial at Woolwich New Cemetery.

Sunday saw a Remembrance Day parade and service organised by the Royal British Legion's Eltham and Well Hall branch at Eltham War Memorial and a remembrance service at St John's Church.

The Abbey Wood and Thamesmead branch held a remembrance service at St Michael's

and All Angels Church on Sunday, with a ceremony at the new, council-sponsored Memorial Garden at Thamesmead. Branch President Sam Batty said: "It all went very well indeed, and there was a bigger turnout than we had expected, and they included schoolchildren, and four wreaths were laid."

The Legion was founded in 1921 to look after armed services people who had been maimed in the First World War. Sam, now aged 79, said: "Unfortunately people like me are getting on a bit. I have been involved with the Legion for 20 years. We have 74 members in our branch, compared with 113 a few years ago."

"We obviously try to involve younger children in what we do because they are the Royal British Legion of the future. They come up to us and ask us about our medals, and ask if we killed any Germans. Members of the Legion are the custodians of remembrance and we remember for ever those who were killed or maimed. It is important that this is instilled in children from an early age, because we want them to know about the work of the Legion, and to join us as they get older."



**PROUD TO PARADE:** left, Legion members at St John's Church in Eltham; right, royal borough reps including police chief Helen Milliband, GLA rep Len Duvall, Cllr Spencer Drury, MP Nick Raynsford, council leader Denise Hyland and Mayor Mick Hayes





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# All generations pay silent tribute to local war heroes



**FLYING THE FLAG:** Erith and Thamesmead MP Teresa Pearce lays a wreath at the Plumstead Cemetery remembrance event, also attended by representatives from Greenwich Council and the Abbey Wood and Thamesmead Royal British Legion



**FAMILY FOCUS:** main pic, locals of all ages come to remember in Eltham; the Eltham War memorial decorated with poppy wreaths after the service



**FOCAL POINT FOR REFLECTION:** Thamesmead and Abbey Wood Legion members with I-r Erith & Thamesmead MP, Teresa Pearce; Bexley Mayor and mayoress Howard and Dianne Marriner; Peabody chief exec, Stephen Howlett; Greenwich Mayor Mick Hayes; council leader Denise Hyland and Rev Patrick Eggleston from St Paul's Church



**FAMILY REUNION:** relatives of Arthur North learn more about his life at war

## WW1 roadshow launch

A TRAVELLING exhibition that pays tribute to the names on local war memorials has begun its tour of the borough.

It's the result of months of painstaking research by volunteers and staff at the Royal Greenwich Heritage Trust.

Backed by a £10,000 grant from the Lottery Fund, the council and the Community Covenant with the armed services, the project researched the names carved on local war memorials to find out more about who they were, and bring their stories to life once again.

Archives and period newspapers were used to find out what the war meant for local families. The exhibition was opened at the town hall by the Mayor of Royal Greenwich, Cllr Mick Hayes to mark Remembrance Week. Guests included George Kent from Blackheath and his wife Jean, whose uncles were John and Henry Sturgis. The two young soldiers died just 20 days apart, John aged 23 and Henry aged 19. Their names are on the Charlton War Memorial.

Other guests included the family of Arthur North, who features in the exhibition. He was born in Eltham in 1883 and joined the army in 1902. When war broke out in 1914, Arthur was made a captain in the Northumberland Fusiliers. He was killed when he led an attack on an enemy position on September 27, 1918, three days before his 35th birthday. He was posthumously awarded the Military Cross for bravery. His granddaughter, Sara Rawlings, said: "I never met

him, and my father was only six months old when Arthur died, so he didn't know him either. So seeing this exhibition is very poignant. I'm grateful for all the work the researchers have done so we could find out things we didn't know. For example, we found out that Arthur's name is on another war memorial at Bexhill-on-Sea, and I'm going to do a little research to find out why it's there."

Sara's son Tom, who is Arthur's great-grandson said: "This exhibition really brings to life what happened and the terrible effects it had on families. So it's good these events are being brought to life again today and remembered."

Arthur's great-granddaughter Louisa North, said: "I went to see his grave in France in March, so it was so good to learn more things about him at the exhibition. What we found out made me want to find out more about our family's history. The exhibition left Woolwich Town Hall on Friday (November 14) and moved to Charlton House, where it will stay for the rest of the year."



**WE SALUTE YOU:** Cllr Miranda Williams, and Mayor Mick Hayes talk to George and Jean Kent about their uncles John and Henry Sturgis

## New war memorial

CHILDREN from Jubilee Primary School joined local representatives for the unveiling of Thamesmead's first ever publically accessible war memorial last week.

They included the mayors of Greenwich and Bexley, Erith & Thamesmead MP, Teresa Pearce, Thamesmead and Abbey Wood Royal British Legion and town managers from the Peabody Group. Stephen Howlett, chief executive of Peabody said: "It is an honour to be involved in the unveiling of these plaques,

remembering the men and women who have fought for our country."

Thamesmead resident, Hazel Ozturk said: "These plaques are a milestone and long overdue. It is fantastic residents now have a focal point to gather and reflect, bringing a real sense of community."

The original Thamesmead memorial is set within the tranquil community garden on The Atrium estate where it was erected as a place residents could visit and reflect.



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YOUNG PEOPLE'S THEATRE

## Royal Park life through the seasons in pics

DOG walker Vivien Davies started to take photos on her camera phone while on her daily dog walk in Greenwich Park.

Over time she switched to a digital SLR and started to build a collection of photos documenting the ever-changing natural environment. Now her photos feature in an exhibition at The Greenwich Gallery, Linear House, until November 30.

The display is entitled 'Photographs of Greenwich Park: Beauty, Magic and Escape' showcasing prints for sale which capture the beauty and magic of one of London's most ancient open spaces across the seasons.

Also showing is 'Nature In Greenwich Park', a digital photography project by students at Charlton Park Academy who are exhibiting a selection of their own digital images of the park.

The exhibition is free and open from 9.30am until 5.30pm from Monday to Friday  
For more visit [www.viviendavies.com](http://www.viviendavies.com) and [www.thegreenwichgallery.com](http://www.thegreenwichgallery.com)

## Ecology Park Winter fayre

WRAP up warm and celebrate winter at Greenwich Ecology Park.

The urban oasis is a hive of activity all year round, and its annual Winter Fayre takes place on Sunday, December 7, where you'll find hot mince pies, a barbeque and many more winter warmers. Activities include wreath making workshops, quiz trails and special guest Mr Fox!

More details at [www.greenwichecologypark.com](http://www.greenwichecologypark.com)

## SCENE

**GREENWICH Theatre** has extended panto season to meet unprecedented demand.

Some performances of this year's panto – Jack and The Beanstalk – have already sold out so there's an extra week of shows with 77 performances in all.

The panto, again written, directed and starring Andrew Pollard, will run from this Thursday, November 20, to Sunday, January 11, 2015.

"We have sold far more tickets now than we had at the same point last year," said the theatre's executive and artistic director James Haddrell, "I think it's because ours is a truly traditional pantomime that doesn't rely on TV celebrity but on quality writing and performance. Audiences have got used to that, to knowing how high the quality of the show is going to be."

It's the ninth year that Andrew Pollard has appeared in the show (his tenth as writer) and also returning is last year's Puss in Boots, Alim Jayda, who is playing the villain this time.

Alim welcomes the leap from hero to villain, playing opposite a giant who is 11ft from the waist up.

"I had the most amazing time as Puss in Boots," said the 23-year-old actor who lives in nearby Ladywell. "It's one of the best jobs I've done, the company, the theatre, every element was just perfect and the audiences were overwhelming."

"For me to play the baddie is quite exciting. A panto is playtime with the audience and I'm really looking forward to having fun as the villain."

*ack and the Beanstalk – Thurs, Nov 20, 2014 – Sun, Jan 11, 2015. Information and bookings at [www.greenwichtheatre.org.uk](http://www.greenwichtheatre.org.uk)*

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  - (c) the eastbound closure of Bieby's Way would be via Peartree Way, Woolwich Road and Anchor and Hope Lane.
5. The Order would come into force on 25<sup>th</sup> November 2014 and would continue in force for up to 18 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. However, it is expected that the works would take four weeks to complete.
6. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 5464.

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November 21 - 7.30pm, Global Fusion Music & Arts presents Royal Greenwich Jazz, tickets £6 at [www.wegotickets.com](http://www.wegotickets.com) or on the door from 7pm. Tel: 0208 885 9497

**ELTHAM**  
Bob Hope Theatre, Wythfield Road  
November 20-22 - Honk! £11-12.50  
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**GREENWICH BOROUGHWIDE**  
Greenwich and Bexley Community Hospice Christmas events  
November 29 - 11am - 2pm, Christmas Fair at the Hospice, free  
November 30 - 9.30pm. Carol Concert, at the Old Royal Naval College, King William Walk £20 per person which includes drink and a mince pie at a pre-concert reception Visit [www.communityhospice.org.uk](http://www.communityhospice.org.uk), call 020 8319 9230 or email [info@gbch.org.uk](mailto:info@gbch.org.uk)

**BLACKHEATH HALLS**  
The Friends of Age Exchange present a Christmas fair, November 23, 10.30am-4.40pm



## Actor Alim Jayda makes the leap from hero to villain in an extended panto season at Greenwich Theatre

**FUN WITH THE AUDIENCE:** Alim looks forward to playing the villain

# Goody to be a baddie

## Robin's back in the 'hood

ROBBING the rich to give to the poor all along the way, Robin Hood and his merry men (and women!) are coming to the royal borough this winter thanks to the Greenwich and Lewisham Young People's Theatre (GLYPT). A new musical adaptation of the world famous legend is coming to the Tramshed in Woolwich from December 6.

Following the success of last year's sell-out success, Treasure Island, GLYPT will be taking audience members on a journey into the past, full of singing, dancing and of course the mysterious Robin Hood. Visitors from the borough and beyond are welcome to join Robin Hood's band of outlaws as they thwart the wicked Sheriff of Nottingham in this fun interactive production.

This festive Christmas production



MAGIC IN THE MUSIC: GLYPT members rehearse for next month's show

features an original script from award-winning children's theatre writer, Brendan Murray. Robin Hood is directed by GLYPT's Artistic Director, Jeremy James, who with Oscar Wood, brought you Treasure Island and The Hunchback of Notre Dame. Re-invented from the traditional tale, the show has a historic setting but contains modern themes and a new twist.

**Robin Hood will run at the Tramshed Woolwich 51-53 Woolwich New Road SE18 6ES on Saturdays & Sundays December 6-21. Each day there will be a performance at 2pm and 5:30pm Ticket prices are Adults £10, Child/ Conc £7, Groups of 4 or more £7 each (must include 1 child) and you can book at [www.glypt.co.uk](http://www.glypt.co.uk) or by calling 020 8854 1316.**

## Winter warmer hotting up

**CRAFT MAKERS** traders are invited to apply for a table top place in the craft marquee for this year's Woolwich Winter Warmer.

The Winter Warmer is on Saturday December 6 - when there will be fun, festive events in General Gordon Square from 12 noon - 5.30 pm. Attractions include live reindeer and owl displays, an ice sculpting demonstration and a live music stage. There will also be choirs and roving entertainers in Powis Street and a children's lantern lit procession ending with a firework finale.

The craft market is open to local traders who want to sell hand made crafts including cosmetics and jewellery, and home made jam, confectionary and bakery products. The closing date for applications is Monday 24 November.

Traders interested in having a stall space can get full details and apply

at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/winterwarmermarket](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/winterwarmermarket)

● Revellers are due to kick off the festive season in Eltham on Thursday from 4pm. Residents of all ages are due to take part in Eltham Lights Up - which is now in its 15th year. People of all ages are invited to a Mad Hatter-themed tea party at 4pm to make the anniversary before an evening of entertainment. It includes a lantern parade, live stage performances and street entertainers while locals can share their photos and memories of Lights Up gone by before the lights switch on at 6pm.

● Eltham police station will be open to the public from 4-9pm during the Lights Up to showcase the new Paul Breen Greenwich Police Museum. Visitors can meet local officers and staff and there'll be displays by the police dogs and memorabilia on show.

# WHAT'S ON

### GREENWICH

Steinberg Studio, 137 Vanbrugh Hill, Sunday evening chamber concerts, 6pm  
November 30 - violin and piano recital  
Tickets £10 at [www.steinbergduo.com](http://www.steinbergduo.com)

### WOOLWICH

Greenwich Heritage Centre exhibition Empire, Faith, War: The Sikhs and World War One, December 3 to January 3. Free entry. Launch and talk on December 3, free but limited place. To reserve a place contact [mary.ross@greenwichheritagecentre.org.uk](mailto:mary.ross@greenwichheritagecentre.org.uk) 020 8854 2452

### ELTHAM

Nature Club - Alison Ruyter of the Kent Wildlife Trust talks on the reserves of west Kent and the work of the Trust. November 18 at St Mary's Community Centre at 7.30pm.

### GREENWICH CREEKSIDE

November 21-30 - From here to there - works by Sasha Leech, 5-9 Creekside, 1-6pm Thurs-Sun. Discussion with the artist Sunday November 30, 2-4pm. [arthubgallery.com](http://arthubgallery.com) or call 020 8691 5140

### HORN PARK

Colfeian Community Choir, rehearsals Wednesday evening 7.45-9.45pm, November 19 and 26. Horn Park Sports and Social Club, Eltham Road, Lee. Contact Richard Gregg musical director at [rgregg@colfes.com](mailto:rgregg@colfes.com)

### CHARLTON

'Popping and rocking' - A cabaret by St Luke's Players - The Assembly Rooms Saturday November 29, 7.30pm and Sunday November 30, 6.30pm. Adults £12 and children £7 including a fish and chips supper. Please book by 25th. In aid of the Royal British Legion.

### ELTHAM

The Roan Theatre Company presents production of 'Billy Liar' at the Tyler Theatre, Harris Academy. Dates from Wednesday November 26 until Sunday November 29, from 7.45pm Tickets £9 and can be booked at [www.theroantheatrecompany.com](http://www.theroantheatrecompany.com) or by calling 020 8859 0621



PAN-TASTIC! Global Fusion Music and Arts are mixing it up this week as a Jamaican Steel Pan Band bring exciting Caribbean Jazz music to Charlton House.

The concert is a celebration of culture and music with the Pangaea steel band performing exciting rhythms, great melodies and a taste of Caribbean Jazz, calypso and reggae music.

Global Fusion Music and Arts project manager Louisa Le Marchand, said: "We have a lot of African events but we thought that we would bring some

Caribbean sunshine to Greenwich this year."

Along with Jamaican music, young comedian, Septimus Prime will also be making his debut at Charlton House. The social media comedian will be performing some of his most popular sketches.

Music starts at 7pm, tickets are £6 and available at [www.wegotickets.com](http://www.wegotickets.com) or on the door from 7pm. For more information visit [www.globalfusionarts.co.uk](http://www.globalfusionarts.co.uk)



**Public Notice**  
**Royal Borough of Greenwich**  
**Planning Act 2008 (as amended)**  
**Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) regulations 2010 (as amended)**

**Notice inviting representations on the Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) Draft Charging Schedule Statement of Modifications**

In accordance with Regulations 11 and 19 of the Community Infrastructure Regulations 2010 (as amended), Royal Borough of Greenwich gives notice that the Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) Draft Charging Schedule Statement of Modifications has been published in advance of submission of the Draft Charging Schedule to the Secretary of State for Examination.

Royal Borough of Greenwich is submitting the Draft Charging Schedule on Monday 17 November and is inviting representations on the Statement of Modifications over a period of four weeks from 17 November to 15 December 2014.

A copy of the Statement of Modifications has been sent to each of the persons that were invited to make representations under Regulation 15, published on the Royal Borough's website, and is available for inspection during business hours at the Woolwich Centre and in Royal Greenwich libraries (library locations and opening hours set out below).

The Statement of Modifications can be viewed on the Royal Greenwich website at: [http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/info/1004/planning\\_policy/1182/community\\_infrastructure\\_levy/](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/info/1004/planning_policy/1182/community_infrastructure_levy/)

**Requests to be heard**

Any person may request to be heard by the Examiner in relation to the modifications. This right to be heard applies only in relation to the modifications set out in the statement. Any request to be heard by the Examiner in relation to these modifications must be:

- submitted to Royal Borough of Greenwich in writing within the period of four weeks, beginning on the day on which the Draft Charging Schedule is submitted to the Secretary of State; and
- include details of the modifications (by reference to the Statement of Modifications) on which the person wishes to be heard.

Persons requesting to be heard should indicate whether they support or oppose the modifications and explain why.

In accordance with the Regulations, a copy of each request to be heard in relation to these modifications will be forwarded to the Examiner. Requests to be heard may be withdrawn at any time before the opening of the Examination by giving notice in writing (by post or email) to the Royal Borough.

**A request to be heard by the Examiner to these modifications must be made in writing by post or email to:**

**Post:** Planning Policy  
 Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills  
 Royal Borough of Greenwich  
 The Woolwich Centre  
 35 Wellington Street  
 London  
 SE18 6HQ  
**Email:** [planning.policy@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:planning.policy@royalgreenwich.gov.uk)

If you require further information on the Draft Charging Schedule Statement of Modifications, please e-mail at the address above or phone 020 8921 3673/6735.

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Interested parties may make representations to the Royal Borough of Greenwich on this application by no later than **8TH DECEMBER 2014**. Representations can be made in writing, by email or fax to The Licensing Team, Community Safety & Environment, 4th Floor, Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, London SE18 6HQ. Tel: 020 8921 8018, Fax: 020 8921 8300, Email: [licensing@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:licensing@royalgreenwich.gov.uk). Representations can only be made on the grounds of one of the four licensing objectives, namely:

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- For further information, please contact the Headteacher, Susan Vernot at the school.
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# GreenwichHomes

Royal Borough of Greenwich's Choice Based Lettings Scheme

Edition 418

## BIDDING FOR PROPERTIES

People on the Housing register are able to bid for all properties, regardless of their banding. You must be eligible for the size of property and bids will be considered in the following order:

First Band A, followed by Band B both in priority date order.  
Those in Band C will then be considered in registration date order.

Please note that there will still be some properties with age restrictions so only people of this age group can apply for these.

### BAND

- A** is for applicants in unsatisfactory housing, including people moving due to demolition and those underoccupying their homes.
- B** is for applicants the Royal Borough of Greenwich must prioritise according to the law, particularly homeless people, and others with an urgent need to move for medical or welfare reasons.
- C** is for all applicants on the housing register, including those that are in priority bands A and B.

## How do I apply?

1

### Get on the list

First, you've got to be on the housing waiting list to join the scheme. If you're not, register an application on line at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk)

2

### Find your applicant number

It will be on the letter you've already had from the Royal Borough of Greenwich about the new scheme. You'll need that number and the reference number of the property you're after, which will be on the advert.

3

### Pick out your ideal property

by looking in *Greenwich Time* or regularly checking the website:

[www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes)

Click on your preference on the website. If you don't have a computer, you can always use one for free at either The Eltham or Woolwich Centre or a local library.

4

### Apply in one of three ways

- Text bidding is now available and the number to use is 07786207913. For further information please see page 2, or
- Phone the 24-hour hotline 020 8921 4340. It's an automatic push-button system and calls will be charged at the normal local rate, or
- Via the Royal Borough of Greenwich's website [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/homes)

The next edition of GreenwichHomes will be available on **Wednesday 26 November at midday**. Closing date for all applications for this issue is midnight on **Sunday midnight 23 November**

## 24-hour hotline

The Greenwich Homes  
(Choice Based Lettings) Telephone  
Bidding Line is available in:  
English 020 8921 4340

Greenwich Homes (locations « au  
choix ») Ligne téléphonique de  
demande disponible en français  
en composant le :  
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Có sắn Đường dây Đầu giá Điện  
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waxaa laga helaa:  
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Turkish 020 8921 4347

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話競投專線:  
Cantonese 020 8921 4370

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இங்கு கிடைக்கும்:  
Tamil 020 8921 4300

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# GreenwichHomes

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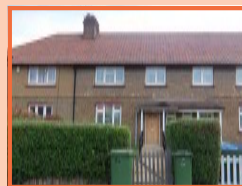
Anyone on  
the housing  
list can  
apply for  
these



Ref Number: 188691  
**William Barefoot  
Dr SE9**  
3 Bed Parl Hse Gdn  
Entry phn Rad C/H  
**£137.01 pw**



Ref Number: 189438  
**Rochester Way SE9**  
3 Bed Parl Hse Gdn  
Radiator C/H & Gas Fire  
**£136.48 pw**



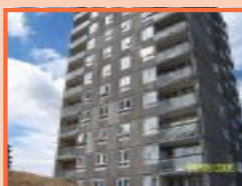
Ref Number: 189456  
**Philippa Gdns SE9**  
3 Bed Hse  
Rad C/H  
**£126.81 pw**



Ref Number: 193043  
**Dahlia Rd SE2**  
2 Bed 2nd Flr Mais  
Unlifted Rad C/H  
**£97.97 pw**



Ref Number: 193525  
**Cookhill Rd SE2**  
2 Bed Grnd Flr Flat  
Entry phn  
Gas Fire & Rad C/H  
**£95.58 pw**



Ref Number: 194265  
**Crystal Hse  
Spinel Cl SE18**  
1 Bed 3rd Flr Flat  
Lifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H  
**£95.47 pw**



Ref Number: 194399  
**Glyndon Rd SE18**  
1 Bed 2nd Flr Flat  
Lifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H  
**£82.85 pw**



Ref Number: 194476  
**Rixon Hse  
Barnfield Rd SE18**  
Bedsit 2nd Flr Flat  
Lifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H No Pkg  
**£85.55 pw**



Ref Number: 194500  
**Anstridge Rd SE9**  
1 Bed 1st Flr Flat Gdn  
Unlifted Entry phn  
Gas Fire & Rad C/H  
**£94.46 pw**



Ref Number: 194624  
**Griffiths Hse  
Mayplace Lane  
SE18**  
2 Bed 1st Flr Flat  
Lifted Rad C/H  
**£105.64 pw**

## HOW TO BID FOR ADVERTISED PROPERTIES BY TEXT

If you would like to bid by text,  
please use the following Text Bidding  
Number: **0778 620 7913** and type:

**CBL, the property reference  
number and your applicant number.**

The property reference will be on the  
advert and your applicant number is  
on the letter we sent to you when you  
registered for housing.

A successful bid will look like this:  
**CBL 179104 12191**

You will need to do a separate text for  
each property you wish to bid for and  
the text is charged at your mobile  
provider's standard rate. You will  
receive a text response to confirm  
your bid within 5 minutes.

## Important Notice

Please note the  
closing date to  
register your bids  
for advertised  
properties will be  
**every Sunday at  
midnight.**

**Next  
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on  
Wednesday  
26  
November  
2014**



Ref Number: 194663  
**Herbert Rd SE18**  
2 Bed 1st Flr Mais  
Unlifted Rad C/H  
**£109.66 pw**



Ref Number: 194676  
**Rixon Hse  
Barnfield Rd SE18**  
3 Bed Grnd Flr Flat  
Rad C/H No Pkg  
**£115.15 pw**



**Ruegg Hse  
Woolwich Comm  
SE18**  
1 Bed 4th Flr Flat  
Lifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H  
**£101.18 pw**  
Ref Number: 194681



**Godstow Rd SE2**  
2 Bed 2nd Flr Mais  
Unlifted Rad C/H  
**£101.19 pw**  
Ref Number: 194682



Choice hotline 020 8921 4340

# GreenwichHomes

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Anyone on the housing list can apply for these

**If you are bidding for houses under Band C you must have 1 child under 16 years**



**Eglinton Rd SE18**  
2 Bed Hse  
Rad C/H  
£113.65 pw



Ref Number: 194688  
**Biddulph Hse Rideout St SE18**  
3 Bed 1st Flr Flat  
Lifted Rad C/H  
No Pkg  
£110.63 pw



Ref Number: 194701  
**Wickham Lane SE2**  
3 Bed Hse Gdn  
Rad C/H  
£153.90 pw



Ref Number: 79129  
**Southport Rd SE18**  
2 Bed 2nd Flr Flat  
Unlifted Entry phn  
Rad C/H No pets  
£114.60 pw

## Affordable Homes

Please note any Housing Association properties advertised in this way will have a higher rent charge

**Next Edition 419 available on Wednesday 26 November 2014**



Ref Number: 194700  
**Keightley Dr SE9**  
2 Bed Grnd Flr Mais  
Rad C/H No Pkg  
No pets  
£150.53 pw

## Seaside and Country Scheme

This scheme offers one and two bedroom flats and bungalows on the Coast and in the countryside, in the South East and West of England.

In order to be considered you must be:

- A Council or Housing Association tenant
- At least 60 years old (if someone is moving with you they must be over 55 years old).

Your removal costs will be met if you are a Council tenant and you do move to a Seaside and Country home. To register, or find out more about the scheme, contact the Access and Allocation section on Tel: 020 8921 2941

If you are a Housing Association tenant you need to contact your landlord to register. Further information is available from the scheme management organisation at [www.housingmoves.org](http://www.housingmoves.org)

Applicants over 50+ can apply



Ref Number: 194687  
**Corelli Rd SE3**  
1 Bed Grnd Flr Flat  
Warm Air  
£107.43 pw



Ref Number: 194630  
**Wootton Hse Alderwood Rd SE9**  
1 Bed Grnd Flr Flat  
Entry phn Rad C/H  
£94.85 pw



Ref Number: 194631  
**Alabama St SE18**  
1 Bed Grnd Flr Flat  
Entry phn Rad C/H  
£94.18 pw

## Bands A&B Priority Applicants

Fewer Bands A&B priority applicants have been bidding for advertised properties in recent weeks.

**Please note that if you do not bid on a regular basis you risk losing your priority status.**

Please contact the office if you need help in bidding.

## GreenwichHomes adverts

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**Choice hotline 020 8921 4340**

# GreenwichHomes

Royal Borough of Greenwich's Choice Based Lettings Scheme

## IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ROYAL BOROUGH TENANTS WHO ARE MOVING

### DON'T GET A BILL AFTER YOU LEAVE

Under the conditions of your tenancy agreement, you have a responsibility to leave your property in an acceptable state of repair. We may visit you to check this. If we consider your property is in an unacceptable condition, you may be prevented from moving or be recharged for work.

### To avoid getting an unwelcome bill, follow these rules:

- Repair any damage caused to the property by you, your family or visitors to your home.
- Make good any changes you have made to your property e.g. put back any doors that you have removed.
- Make sure your garden is not overgrown and you have cleared all garden waste.
- Clear all your items from the inside and the outside of the property. This includes any loft space, external cupboards or sheds.
- Return all the keys to the Royal Borough's offices no later than midday on Monday (or Tuesday if it is a Bank Holiday). You will be charged a further week's rent if you do not return your keys on time.

If you leave repairs that are your responsibility, or items that require disposal you will be charged the cost of this work.

### Special Collection Service

The Royal Borough offers a Special Collection Service for tenants who are moving and want to dispose of something big and bulky, like a sofa or a fridge, and even unwanted clothes and other textiles.

Simply contact Waste Services on 020 8921 4661 and tell them where you live and what you would like taken away.

### Items we will collect include:

Fridges, freezers, washing machines, beds, sofas, clothes and carpets (carpets must be cut up and tied into manageable bundles that one person can carry).

### Items we DO NOT collect include:

Fitted kitchens, bathroom suites, boilers, sheds, fences and rubble.

For further information, please contact Waste Services on **020 8921 4661**.

**Please leave your home in a good condition!**

## This is what happened to the homes advertised in issue 415

Address	Bed-rooms	Property Type	No of Bids	Reg date of successful app	Band
Vernham Road SE18 3EY	1	FLAT	438	27/05/2013	B
Titmuss Avenue SE28 8DJ	3	MAISONETTE	240	23/05/2013	B
Watling House Woolwich Common SE18 4HP	1	FLAT	432	24/03/2010	C
Winchester House Portway Gardens SE18 4PH	1	FLAT	444	03/09/2014	B
Dahlia Road SE2 0SU	1	FLAT	438	12/03/2014	B
Black Prince Street SE18 2AF	4	HOUSE	392	29/08/2012	B
Black Prince Street SE18 2AF	3	HOUSE	433	29/08/2014	B
Black Prince Street SE18 2AF	3	HOUSE	521	21/09/2010	B
Black Prince Street SE18 2AF	3	HOUSE	550	07/03/2006	C
Beanshaw SE9 3HL	2	FLAT	523	10/02/2003	A
Westcombe Hill SE3 7DX	3	MAISONETTE	396	21/01/1980	A
Dallin Road SE18 3NY	1	FLAT	350	22/07/2009	C
Teynham House Alderwood Road SE9 2LR	1	FLAT	524	25/02/2011	C
Schofield Walk SE3 7DA	2	MAISONETTE	498	11/02/1974	A
Samuel Street SE18 5LE	2	FLAT	241	04/06/2014	B
Little Heath SE7 8EZ	2	FLAT	490	06/01/2014	B
Sidcup Road SE9 3SA	1	FLAT	443	17/06/2014	B
Besant Court Titmuss Avenue SE28 8BL	1	FLAT	185	02/03/2011	C
Blaker Court Fairlawn SE7 7ER	2	FLAT	290	19/03/2014	B
Prince Edward House Victoria Way Charlton SE7 7FP	1	FLAT	529	27/09/2010	B

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## For information or assistance

Contact our Allocations Team  
on: **020 8921 2941** or email:  
**housing-allocations@greenwich.gov.uk**



**ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH**  
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 –  
SECTION 14(1)  
**TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE –**  
**COURT YARD**

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich has made an Order to accommodate tree branch removal works in Court Yard. The effect of the Order will be to temporarily prevent vehicles from entering, exiting, proceeding or waiting (including for the purposes of loading or unloading) in Court Yard, between its junction with Tilt Road Approach and the common boundary of Nos. 34 and 36 Court Yard.
2. The above restrictions will only apply at such times and to such extent as shall be indicated by the placing of the appropriate traffic signs.
3. Whilst the closure is in operation, vehicular access to properties affected by these works will be maintained wherever possible subject to the extent and operations of the works.
4. The Order will come into force on 20<sup>th</sup> November 2014 and will continue in force for up to 18 months, or until the works have been completed, whichever is the sooner; however the works are expected to take one day to complete.
5. Queries concerning these works should be directed to the Royal Borough of Greenwich's Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise & Skills on 020 8921 5869.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation  
The Woolwich Centre,  
35 Wellington Street,  
SE18 6HQ  
Dated 18<sup>th</sup> November 2014  
(JURISDICTION REF: 1000002640000)

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**Civil Enforcement Officers (Parking Attendants)**  
(up to 6 posts)  
**Salary: £18,915 to £20,877 (Scale 4)**  
**Closing date for applications: 24 November 2014**

We are seeking to recruit to the following full time posts based in Woolwich, covering the whole borough.

As a Civil Enforcement Officer, you will undertake uniformed enforcement patrols throughout the Royal Borough; checking compliance with local parking and loading restrictions and issuing Penalty Charge Notices where contraventions are witnessed. You will also be required to report on other related matters e.g. untaxed and abandoned vehicles.

Duties will involve shift work, five weekends out of six; some Bank Holiday work and some evening work, overtime and/or shift payments will be paid. Appointments are subject to satisfactory DBS checks.

Experience of parking enforcement is an advantage but not mandatory as full training will be given, a clean full driving licence, the ability to use a handheld computer, the ability to interpret and understand parking legislation, walk several kilometres each day to handle difficult and confrontational situations calmly and in accordance with Royal Borough customer care standards and to communicate with the public effectively. You will also need the ability to write and maintain concise and accurate notes.

To apply for this post please visit the Royal Borough of Greenwich website <https://royalboroughofgreenwich.tal.net/vx/lang-en-GB/appcentre-3/candidate/jobboard/vacancy/1/adv/> or <https://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk> and apply online.

Royal Borough of Greenwich values the diversity of its community and aims to have a workforce that reflects this. We therefore encourage applications from all sections of the community.

Royal Borough of Greenwich reserves the right to close any vacancy earlier than the advertised closing date should there be a high volume of applications received.

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**Royal Borough of Greenwich**  
Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)  
Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure)(England) Order 2010  
Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (AS AMENDED)  
Planning (Listed Buildings & Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990 (AS AMENDED)

Notice is hereby given that applications have been made to The Royal Borough of Greenwich in respect of the under mentioned proposals. You can see the submissions and any plans during the hours of 9.00am to 5.30pm Monday to Friday and 9.00am to 5.00pm on Saturday at:-

**Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, SE18 6QT**  
Also at <http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/planning> or at the Library above between normal opening hours.

If development proposals affect Conservation Areas and/or Statutorily Listed Buildings under the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (As Amended) this will be shown within the item below.

Anyone who wishes to comment on these applications should be made in writing to Development Planning within 21 days of the date of this notice.

Please quote the appropriate reference number.  
**Date: 18/11/2014**  
Mike Hows - Chief Planning Officer

**Publicity For Planning Applications**

<b>Applicant:</b> Mr D French The Hyde Group	<b>14/2825/F</b>
<b>125-161 WELL HALL ROAD, ELTHAM, SE9</b>	
<b>Development:</b> Installation of replacement front boundary timber fencing.	
<b>Library:</b> Eltham Library, 2 Archery Road SE9 1HA	
<b>Conservation Area:</b> PROGRESS ESTATE	
<b>Applicant:</b> Mr S Edwards Estates Department	<b>14/2993/F</b>
<b>UNIVERSITY OF GREENWICH, AVERY HILL CAMPUS, BEXLEY ROAD, ELTHAM, SE9</b>	
<b>Development:</b> Repair, refurbishment and alteration of the Winter Garden, including new internal landscaping, new service and new external landscaping. Internal alterations to ground floor of Palazzo House to provide new visitor reception, reception, learning zone, classrooms and support facilities.	
<b>Library:</b> Eltham Library, Eltham High Street SE9 2BA	
<b>Applicant:</b> Mr Hunter	<b>14/3082/F</b>
<b>67 CRAIGERNE ROAD, BLACKHEATH, LONDON, SE3 8SN</b>	
<b>Development:</b> Erection of a single storey rear infill extension and construction of a single storey garage to the rear of property.	
<b>Library:</b> East Greenwich Library, Woolwich Road SE10 0BL	
<b>Conservation Area:</b> RECTORY FIELD	
<b>Applicant:</b> Mr G Springer London and Regional Properties	<b>14/3092/F</b>
<b>36-38 ARTILLERY PLACE, WOOLWICH, LONDON, SE18 4AB</b>	
<b>Development:</b> Demolition of the existing buildings and erection of two 6-storey buildings to provide 52 residential flats (11 x 1-bed, 17 x 2-bed, and 24 x 3-bed) with associated landscaping, amenity space, cycle parking, refuse and recycling storage, and basement car parking.	
<b>Library:</b> Woolwich Public Library, Woolwich Centre, 21 Love Lane, Woolwich, SE18 6QT	
<b>Conservation Area:</b> adjacent to Woolwich Common	
<b>Applicant:</b> Mrs S Purnell	<b>14/3201/F</b>
<b>FLAT 3, 14 VICARAGE PARK, PLUMSTEAD, LONDON, SE18 7SX</b>	
<b>Development:</b> Replacement of existing windows with UPVC windows.	
<b>Library:</b> Plumstead Library, Plumstead High Street SE18 1JL	
<b>Conservation Area:</b> PLUMSTEAD COMMON	
<b>Publicity for Listed Building Consent</b>	
<b>Applicant:</b> Mr S Edwards Estates Department	<b>14/2994/L</b>
<b>UNIVERSITY OF GREENWICH, AVERY HILL CAMPUS, BEXLEY ROAD, ELTHAM, SE9</b>	
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<b>Library:</b> Eltham Library, Eltham High Street SE9 2BA	
<b>Listed Building:</b> Grade 2	

**ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH**

**ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH**  
The Greenwich (Greenwich Town Centre CPZ) (Parking Places) (Amendment No. 4)  
Order 2014  
The Greenwich (East Greenwich CPZ) (Parking Places) (Amendment No. 3)  
Order 2014

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 45, 46, 48 and 124 of and Part III of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.
2. The general effect of the Orders would be to make the properties listed in the Schedule to this Notice no longer eligible to receive permits for the CPZ indicated in that Schedule.
3. A copy of the proposed Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders are available for inspection during normal office hours until the end of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or, as the case may be, the Council decides not to make the Orders, at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ.
4. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Strategic Transportation on 020 8921 3593.
5. Any person who wishes to object to or make other representations about the proposed Orders should send a statement in writing by 9<sup>th</sup> December 2014, specifying the grounds on which any objection is made, to the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1Y 2NR (quoting reference PCU/THO/UC/10000026400).
6. Persons objecting to the proposed Orders should be aware that in view of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, this Council would be legally obliged to make any comments received in response to this notice, open to public inspection.

Assistant Director, Strategic Transportation  
The Woolwich Centre,  
35 Wellington Street,  
SE18 6HQ  
Dated 18<sup>th</sup> November 2014  
(JURISDICTION REF: 1000002640000)

**ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH**

**SCHEDULE**

Properties	Road	CPZ
No. 1	Hodgins Street	EG (East Greenwich)
No. 91	Blackheath Road	G (Greenwich Town Centre)

**ROYAL BOROUGH OF GREENWICH**  
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 AND  
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980  
The Greenwich (20 MPH Speed Limit)  
(No. 4) Traffic Order 2014

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Royal Borough of Greenwich (hereinafter referred to as "the Council") proposes to make the above-mentioned Order under section 84 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.
2. The general effect of the Order would be to impose a 20 miles per hour speed limit on motor vehicles in Charlton Church Lane.
3. FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council proposes, under section 90A of the Highways Act 1980, to construct the type of flat-top road hump known as a "speed table" in Charlton Church Lane, with its centre line approximately 5 metres north-west of the common boundary of Nos. 141 and 143 Charlton Church Lane. The speed table would be an elevated section of carriageway with a flat top, 25 millimetres higher at its highest point than the surrounding carriageway, extending across the full width of the carriageway, and having a length of 6 metres including entry and exit ramps each having a 1:20 gradient.
4. A copy of the proposed Orders and other documents, including a map, giving more detailed particulars of the Order and speed table are available for inspection during normal office hours until the end of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made or, as the case may be, the Council decides not to make the Order, at the Directorate of Regeneration, Enterprise and Skills, Strategic Transportation, Royal Borough of Greenwich, The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ.
5. Further information may be obtained by telephoning Strategic Transportation on 020 8921 3593.
6. Any person who wishes to object to or make other representations about the proposed Orders or road humps should send a statement in writing, specifying the grounds on which any objection is made, to the Royal Borough of Greenwich, PO Box 485, Kemp House, 152-160 City Road, London, EC1Y 2NR (quoting reference PCU/THO/UC/10000026400), no later than 9<sup>th</sup> December 2014.
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## London Borough of Newham

Planning Applications submitted by London City Airport

Public Consultation - Further amendments to Environmental Statement received, comprising:

1) Environmental Statement (Volumes 1-4 and Non Technical Summary) (November 2014); and, 2) Addendum to Environmental Statement incorporating: Part A) Response to Regulation 22 request 20<sup>th</sup> August 2014, Part B) EIA Sensitivity Test on 120,000 aircraft movements by 2023, Part C) Proposed Noise Quota Count System under the Aircraft Categorisation Review, Parts D1 and D2) information supplied in reply to Regulation 22 requests dated 21<sup>st</sup> January 2014, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2014 and further information received from the applicant.



The following planning applications submitted to the London Borough of Newham are advertised under Article 13 of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2010 (as amended) and in accordance with all other relevant statutory requirements arising pursuant to the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) and the Planning (Listed Building and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (as amended) and Regulation 22 the Town and Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2011.

London City Airport submitted two inter-related planning applications to the London Borough of Newham on 26 July 2013, to deliver the 'City Airport Development Programme' (CADP), these applications are referred to as CADP1 (planning application 13/01228/FUL) and CADP2 (planning application 13/01373/OUT).

This notice is to advertise that the applicant has submitted further amendments as set out in the text above. A summary of the amendments are set out within the documents. Changes are set out within the documents in tracked changed format.

**Application Site:** London City Airport, Hartmann Road, Silvertown, London, E16 2PX

**Planning Application CADP1:** Works to demolish existing buildings and structures and provide additional infrastructure and passenger facilities at London City Airport. Detailed planning permission is being sought for:

- (a) Demolition of existing buildings and structures;
- (b) 4 upgraded aircraft stands and 7 new aircraft parking stands;
- (c) Extension and modification of the existing airfield, including the creation of an extended taxi-lane;
- (d) Emergency vehicle access point over King George V Dock;
- (e) Replacement landside Forecourt to include vehicle circulation, pick up and drop off areas and hard and soft landscaping;
- (f) Eastern Extension to the existing Terminal Building (including alteration works to the existing Terminal);
- (g) Construction of a three storey passenger pier to the east of the existing Terminal;
- (h) Erection of Noise Barriers;
- (i) Western Extension and alterations to the existing Terminal;
- (j) Western Energy Centre, storage, ancillary accommodation and landscaping;
- (k) Facilitation Works including temporary coaching facility and extension to the outbound baggage area;
- (l) Upgrading works to Hartmann Road;
- (m) Passenger and staff parking, car hire parking, taxi feeder park and ancillary and related work;
- (n) Eastern Energy Centre;
- (o) Dock Source Heat Exchange System within King George V Dock; and
- (p) Ancillary and related work.

The application does not accord with the provisions of the Development Plan and affects the setting of Listed Buildings: i) Central Buffet at Custom House, Royal Albert Dock – Grade II; ii) Central Offices at Custom House, Royal Albert Dock – Grade II; and, iii) St Marks Church, North Woolwich Road – Grade II

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**Planning Application CADP2:** Outline application for erection of a hotel with up to 280 bedrooms, ancillary flexible A1-A4 floorspace at ground floor, meeting/conference facilities together with associated amenity space, landscaping, plant and ancillary works.

The application affects the setting of Listed Buildings: i) Central Buffet at Custom House, Royal Albert Dock – Grade II; ii) Central Offices at Custom House, Royal Albert Dock – Grade II; and, iii) St Marks Church, North Woolwich Road – Grade II

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Both these applications including the further addendums are currently being considered by the London Borough of Newham as the Local Planning Authority. Before making a decision on these applications, the Local Planning Authority would like to know your views. If you wish to make any comments on either of these applications, including the additional information, they should be submitted in writing no later than **5<sup>th</sup> January 2015**. Please note that if you do not submit comments by this date, your views may not be able to be taken into account.

The applications can be viewed online at: [www.newham.gov.uk/pa](http://www.newham.gov.uk/pa) where you will be able to view the plans and other documents relating to these applications, as well as send us your views.

In addition, you may inspect copies of the Environmental Statement, additional information, revisions and amended drawings and the other application documents at the following locations (the opening hours listed below are accurate at the time of writing):

- **North Woolwich Library**, 5 Pier Parade, North Woolwich, E16 2LJ (London Borough of Newham). Opening hours: Monday/Tuesday 09.30-17.30, Thursday 13.00-20.00, Saturday 09.30-17.30. CLOSED: Wednesday, Friday, Saturday.
- **Ideas Store Chrisp Street**, 1 Vesey Path, East India Dock Road, E14 6BT (London Borough of Tower Hamlets). Opening hours: Monday-Thursday 09.00-21.00, Friday 09.00-18.00, Saturday 09.00-17.00, Sunday 10.00-16.00.
- **Woolwich Library at The Woolwich Centre**, 35 Wellington Street, Woolwich, SE18 6HQ (Royal Borough of Greenwich). Opening hours: Monday/Thursday 09.00-19.00, Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday 09.00-17.30, Saturday 09.00-17.00. CLOSED: Sunday.
- **Newham Dockside**, 1000 Dockside Road, E16 2QU (London Borough of Newham) - by prior appointment only - Contact [sunil.sahadevan@newham.gov.uk](mailto:sunil.sahadevan@newham.gov.uk) or call 020 3373 1423.

You may obtain a hard copy of all Environmental Statement documents from: RPS Planning and Development, 14 Cornhill, London, EC3V 3ND or by calling RPS on 020 7280 3200. Hard copies of the Environmental Statement (ES) and Technical Appendices at a cost of £200 for each volume (excl postage and packaging), a hard copy of the ES Non-Technical Summary free of charge. A CD Rom version of the ES is available for £10 (including postage and packaging). Copies of Addendum Parts A-D are available at a cost of £200 (excl. postage and packaging). A CD Rom version of Addendum Parts A-D are available for an administrative charge of £10 (including postage and packaging).

Any person wishing to make representations relating to the applications should do so online at: [www.newham.gov.uk/pa](http://www.newham.gov.uk/pa) or in writing to the officer identified above at Newham Dockside, 1000 Dockside Road, E16 2QU. Please note that representations already received regarding these applications will be taken into account by the London Borough of Newham as part of the assessment of the applications.



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# Red, White and Black day

Diversity, equality and inclusion in sport to be celebrated in style



KICKING IT OUT: The community unites to against racism to celebrate diversity, equality and inclusion for Red, White and Black Day

by Simon Banks

ONE game, one community is the message being promoted by the Charlton Athletic Race and Equality Partnership (CARE) at the annual Red, White and Black Day.

Red, White and Black Day celebrates equality and supports anti-racism in sports and will take place on Saturday November 29 at a special pitch-side event at the Valley, home of Charlton Athletic Football Club.

The CARE Partnership is managed by the Charlton Athletic Community Trust who are dedicated to working with the community to promote equality, diversity and inclusion

for everyone through sports by creating fun and informal platforms for interaction and communication between groups and individuals who might not otherwise have normally associated with each other, helping to build positive relationships and a good sense of community.

Special guests will be in attendance to support the initiative including England's first ever-professional Black Footballer, Benjamin Odeje. Benjamin is a former Charlton Athletic player who made history in his International debut for England against Northern Ireland at Wembley in 1971.

A supporter of equality in sports, Benjamin Odeje will walk onto the football pitch to show his support of the work done by the CARE

Partnership at half-time when Charlton Athletic welcome Suffolk promotion chasers, Ipswich Town to the Valley for a live televised early 12.15 kick-off.

Cllr Denise Scott-McDonald, said: "The CARE Partnership and Charlton Athletic Community Trust have done fantastic work in the community to promote equality, diversity and integration in sport and Red, White and Black Day is an excellent example of the community coming together to enjoy sports while celebrating diversity."

Half time will also involve a promotional film being shown on the clubs big screen in the corner of the Jimmy Seed stand and a pitch-side presentation of the Woolwich (CARE) Unity Cup, where the senior cup winners, Greenwich Gambian Association

and junior champions, Woolwich Lions will collect trophies.

There will be even more celebration of diversity and equality before the game too as the Greenwich Powerchair Football team are awarded pitch-side for their recent success as runners up in the South East England Powerchair League.

Representatives from the CARE Partnership and young people will also march a community flag onto the centre circle before forming a guard of honour as they welcome Charlton Athletic onto the pitch for the match.

● For more information visit the Charlton Athletic Community Trust's website [www.cact.org.uk](http://www.cact.org.uk)



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Cllr. John Fahy  
Deputy Leader and  
Cabinet Member for  
Children's services

## There's never been a better time to apply

THERE has never been a better time to go to school in Royal Greenwich - just look at our Key Stage 2 results. We have seen these improve year-on-year to put us in the top performing 25% of local authorities in England.

This means that our children make more progress and achieve better than most children across London and the rest of the country. Most

importantly, we are narrowing the gap for our most vulnerable children and stretching the most able. Our schools are key to this success. The majority of our primary schools are judged 'good' or 'outstanding' by Ofsted.

As a parent, you rightly want the very best education for your child and I am convinced that you will find what you are looking for in a

Royal Greenwich school.

Please read the booklet Primary Schools in Royal Greenwich which is available on our website and which gives details of how to apply. Remember - you will not be offered a place for your child next September unless you complete the application form by January 15 2015. Further information at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/admissions)



# Meeting all measures of achievement

**G**REENWICH'S primary schools have once again shown that they are among the best in the country at helping pupils to achieve and make good progress.

In Key Stage 2 results this summer, the royal borough came in the top quarter of authorities in England on all the key measures of achievement.

These include in reading, where 93 per cent of Greenwich's 11-year-olds achieved the required standard (Level 4 or better), compared with the national average of 89 per cent.

In writing, 90 per cent of Greenwich pupils got the required standard – five percentage points above the national average of 85 per cent. In maths, 91 per cent of pupils got the required standard, again five percentage points above the national average of 86 per cent. The rate of pupils achieving the required standard in reading, writing and maths combined was 86 per cent – seven percentage points above the national average, making Greenwich joint fourth in the country on this measure of achievement.

**C**llr John Fahy, the royal borough's cabinet member for children's services, said: "Raising levels of achievement is a key priority for the royal borough. Our schools are working hard to help children to achieve, and to fulfil their potential. Ofsted clearly recognises the excellent work done by Greenwich schools, which reflects the good standards of teaching and leadership. "Primary schools are at the heart of local communities, and their success owes a great deal to the support and participation of parents – something that is a great strength in Greenwich." Greenwich schools are also among the best in the

country at helping pupils make progress between the ages of seven and 11. Good achievement in primary schools has been sustained across the age ranges. In the assessments for seven-year-olds, 91 per cent of Greenwich pupils achieve at the required standard (Level 2 or better) in reading; 88 per cent in writing and 94 per cent in maths. Ofsted recognises the high and improving standards of our primary schools, with 88 per cent now judged as 'good' or 'outstanding' – an increase of seven percentage points from last year, and seven percentage points better than the national average.

## Why a Royal Greenwich school

There has never been a better time for your child to go to a Royal Greenwich primary school and here are just some of the reasons why

**93%**

of Greenwich's 11-year-olds achieved the required standard (Level 4 or better), compared with the national average of 89 per cent



'Our schools are working hard to help children to achieve, and fulfil their potential. Ofsted clearly recognises the excellent work done by Greenwich schools'

## GREENWICH IS IN THE TOP TEN

Nationally for the percentage of pupils achieving Level 6 in reading, writing and maths

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# INVESTING IN SCHOOLS

We have increased the number of places available at good and outstanding schools

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## Apply in good time

THE PRIMARY schools admissions booklet for 2015 is now available. You can download a copy at [www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/admissions).

April 16 2015. Letters will be sent by first-class post on April 16 2015 informing those who applied by post of the outcome.

- The online application process is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week at [www.eadmissions.org.uk](http://www.eadmissions.org.uk)
- Closing date for all applications is January 15 2015
- Read the booklet carefully and visit as many schools as you can to find out what they have to offer.
- Online applicants will be sent an email with the outcome of their application during the evening of

**88%**  
of schools are rated as either outstanding or good by Ofsted

## mapped out

ACTIVE maps showing the geographical area schools from which schools and their pupils in September 2014 are available at [royalgreenwich.gov.uk/admissionsmap](http://royalgreenwich.gov.uk/admissionsmap)

## It's easier online

APPLYING for a primary school place online is quick and easy.

It also means you'll be able to see the results of your application much sooner.

The online system is open until the closing date of January 15 and is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week. There is no risk of your application being lost or delayed in the post and you will receive confirmation that your application has been submitted successfully. To apply online visit [www.eadmissions.org.uk](http://www.eadmissions.org.uk) and follow the simple instructions.







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[eadmissions.org.uk](http://eadmissions.org.uk)

Getting a place at a primary school is not an automatic process - you must apply for a place for your child

If your child was born between September 1 2010 and August 31 2011 they will start primary school in September 2015

## Help is at hand

FAMILIES who need help with the application process can get support from the Families Information and Outreach Service. This service is available to everyone and provides:

- A wide range of information on local primary schools
- Support in applying for your preferred schools
- Help in completing the relevant forms
- Information about the appeals process

Contact the Families Information and Outreach Service at [fiis@royalgreenwich.gov.uk](mailto:fiis@royalgreenwich.gov.uk) or on 020 8921 6921.

## Advice and support

The royal borough is hosting primary admissions advice sessions at Woolwich Library on the following dates:

**November 24-28**

10am to 12noon

**January 12-15 2015**

10am to 12noon

